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PETITION TO DEFER ISSUANCE OF PATENT APPLICATION UNDER C.F.R § 1.314

Sir:

Applicant hereby respectfully petitions for deferral of the issuance of the application referenced above as a patent to allow time for the Examiner to consider the currently pending Rule 312 Amendment that was submitted using EFS-Web on March 13, 2007. This petition is made to allow sufficient time for the Examiner to consider the pending Rule 312 Amendment.

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Based on the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that applicant has shown good and sufficient reasons why it is necessary to defer issuance of the patent as requested.

Respectfully submitted,

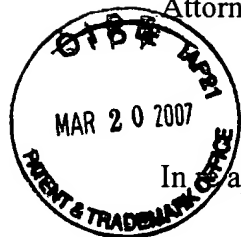
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated February 6, 2007,
which sets forth a response date of April 6, 2007, enclosed are the following:

1. 1 sheet of replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84;
2. A photocopy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated February 6, 2007.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees required
associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1302.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Notice of Allowance Mailed

This application has been accorded an Allowance Date and is being prepared for issuance. The application, however, is incomplete for the reasons below.

Applicant is given 60 days from the mail date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. If the informality pertains to the abstract, specification (including claims) or drawings, the informality must be corrected with an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 (or, if the application is a reissue application, 37 CFR 1.173). Such an amendment may be filed after payment of the issue fee if limited to correction of informalities noted herein. See Waiver of 37 CFR 1.312 for Documents Required by the Office of Patent Publication, 1280 Off. Gaz. Patent Office 918 (March 23, 2004). In addition, if the informality is not corrected until after payment of the issue fee, for purposes of 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(iv), "all outstanding requirements" will be considered to have been satisfied when the informality has been corrected. A failure to reply will result in the application being ABANDONED. **This period for reply is NOT extendable under 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

See attachment.

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Application No. 09/347,438 Drawings filed 7-2-99

IDENTIFICATION OF DRAWING DEFICIENCIES

- ☐ There is a hole or the image thereof within the illustration. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The character of the lines, numbers and letters is poor. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The illustration is penetrated or traversed by a solid or broken line that is not intended to be part of the drawing, such as a dark line caused by a flaw in the copying process. FIG(s) _____
- ☒ An ink stamp or an image obscures part of the illustration. FIG(s) 2 Left margin is insufficient.
- ☐ The drawing is marred by black smudges, obliterations, or fax/copier marks. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ Figure numbers are duplicated or missing. FIG(s). _____
- ☐ Numbers, letters, or reference characters in the drawing have been crossed out by hand or are illegibly handwritten. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The drawing's background shows that the original drawing was made on graph paper or other paper with a pattern or decoration. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The FIG. number label is placed in a location that causes the drawing to be read upside down. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ Data, a reference number, or part of the drawing is truncated or missing. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The drawing is continued onto a second page (or more) without proper labeling under 37 CFR 1.81(u)(1). FIG(s) _____
- ☐ The drawing and/or the FIG. label contain(s) foreign language. FIG(s) _____
- ☐ Color drawings are present in this application but the following CFR 1.84 (a) requirements have not been met*:
 - ☐ Petition filed
 - ☐ Petition fee
 - ☐ 3 sets of color drawings
 - ☐ Color drawing paragraph

*If color drawings are not elected, then applicant **must respond** so stating. Also, references to color drawings in the specification, if any, must be amended.

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